

## PRECIPITATION HEAVY IN WESTERN FLORIDA

Conditions Favorable for Fair  
and Cooler Over This Section  
Tonight and Wednesday.

### HOURLY READINGS.

APRIL 30.

3 a.m.	63	9 a.m.	58
4 a.m.	62	10 a.m.	58
5 a.m.	61	11 a.m.	59
6 a.m.	61	12 m.	62
7 a.m.	58	1 p.m.	62
8 a.m.	59	2 p.m.	54

Weather at 2 p.m., part cloudy;  
humidity at 12 noon, 70.

### Local Forecast.

Fair and cooler tonight; Wednesday,  
fair and continued cool.

### River Forecast.

The river will continue to rise tonight  
and Wednesday.

### Local Data.

Temperature for twenty-four hours:  
Highest yesterday, 70; lowest last night,  
48; mean, 64.

Corresponding date last year: Highest,  
85; lowest, 57; mean, 71.

Normal for this date, 64 degrees.

Accumulated deficiency in mean tem-  
perature since Jan. 1, 5 degrees.

Relative humidity (per cent.), 7 p.m.,  
76; 7 a.m., 92.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours  
ending 7 a.m. today (inches), .30.

Total precipitation since Jan. 1, 21.04  
inches.

Accumulated deficiency is 0.12 inch.

Highest wind velocity for twenty-four  
hours ending 7 a.m. today, twenty miles,  
south.

River stage at 7 a.m. (feet), 11.7.

Fall in twenty-four hours (feet), 0.5.

### Weather Conditions.

The atmospheric pressure is moderately  
low over the eastern section of the coun-  
try, with centers of depression over the  
St. Lawrence valley and the central  
gulf coast, and during the past twenty-  
four hours precipitation has been gen-  
eral over the respective regions. Heavy  
amounts fell in southern Texas, southern  
Louisiana and western Florida. The  
northwestern high-pressure area has ad-  
vanced southward to the central  
plains states, attended by clear weather  
and freezing temperatures. Killing frosts  
formed over portions of western Kansas  
and western Nebraska.

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Weather for Four States.

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# NEWS of WORLD MARKETS

## U. S. STEEL CHANGES HANDS AT SMALL ADVANCE

New York, April 30.—The repulse of  
the German forces on the western front  
was reflected in the strong and broad  
opening of today's stock market. United  
States Steel changed hands in lots of  
1,000 to 7,000 shares at an advance of  
1 point. Bethlehem Steel, Republic Iron  
and Steel, American Locomotive, and  
various specialties made similar gains.  
Motors, oils, distillers, alcohol and  
American can also were strong, but  
rallies held within fractional limits.  
Liberty bonds were irregular.

Shipments and minor war shares were  
included in the wider selling movement  
of the midsection, which also embraced  
Central Leather, General Motors and  
International Paper. Fractional recoveries  
resulted from the rally in United States  
Steel.

Under the lead of United States Steel  
and Reading losses were further re-  
trieved in the final hour. The closing  
was irregular. Liberty 3 1/2% sold at 29  
to 29 1/4; first 4s at 96 1/4 to 96 3/4, and  
second 4s at 96 1/4 to 96 3/4.

### NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Mon.	Tues.	Mon.	Tues.
day.	day.	day.	day.
American Beet Sugar	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
American Can	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
American Car and Foundry	78	78	78
American Locomotive	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
American Linseed	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
American Smelting and Ref.	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
American Sugar	103	103	103
Canadian Pacific	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Anacosta Copper	64	64	64
Atchafalca	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
Atchafalca and West Indies	103	103	103
Baldwin Locomotive	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Bethlehem Steel	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Canadian Pacific	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Central Leather	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Cheapeake and Ohio	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Chi. Mil. and St. P.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Chi. R. I. and P.	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Chino Copper	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Colorado Fuel and Iron	40	40	40
Corn Products	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Cruicible Steel	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Cuba Cane Sugar	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Erie	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
General Electric	114	114	114
General Motors	116 1/2	116 1/2	116 1/2
Great Northern Pfd.	88 1/2	88 1/2	88 1/2
Illinois Central	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Illinois Steel	96 1/2	96 1/2	96 1/2
Inspiration Copper	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2
Inter. Mer. Marine	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
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International Paper	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Kennecott Copper	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Louisville and Nashville	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	92 1/2	92 1/2	92 1/2
Miami Copper	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Midvale	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
Missouri Pacific	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
New York Central	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
Norfolk and Western	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Norfolk Southern	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
Ohio Cities Gas	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Pennsylvania	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Pittsburgh Coal	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Reading	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Sinclair Oil and Refining	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Southern Pacific	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Southern Railway	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Tennessee Copper	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Texas Co.	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Texas Gulf Sulphur	117 1/2	117 1/2	117 1/2
United Cigar Stores	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
U. S. Rubber	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
U. S. Steel	94 1/2	94 1/2	94 1/2
Utah Copper	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Wills-Oversand	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Wyoming Petroleum	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line	98 1/2	98 1/2	98 1/2
Gulf States Steel	102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2
Seaboard Air Line	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Shore-Sheriff Steel and Iron	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
United Fruit	120 1/2	120 1/2	120 1/2
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2

## WEATHER CONDITIONS FAVOR BEARS IN CORN

Chicago, April 30.—Forecasts of warm-  
weather likely to facilitate planting  
have some advantage today to bears in  
the corn market. Opening quotations,  
which ranged from the same as yester-  
day's finish to 1/4c lower, with May  
1.27 1/2 and July 1.19 1/2 to 1.23, were fol-  
lowed by a moderate upturn and then a  
slight lower than before.

Corn weakened with corn.  
Port continued to show extreme weak-  
ness as a result of liquidation by holders.  
The close was nervous, 1/4c to 1/2c net  
lower, with May 1.27 1/2 and July 1.19 1/2 to  
1.23 1/2.

### RANGE OF PRICES ON CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

July	1.42 1/2	1.50 1/2	1.47 1/2	1.48 1/2
Oats				
May	79 1/2	81	79	79 1/2
July	72 1/2	73 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Pork				
May	45.20	45.50	45.20	45.35
July	44.75	45.45	44.75	45.42
Lard				
May	24.42	24.85	24.42	24.57
July	24.75	25.02	24.75	24.87
Ribs				
May	22.65	22.65	22.55	22.62
July	23.12	23.25	23.12	23.22